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What	is	claimed	is:	

- To enhance the effectiveness of a computer monitor of the type having a pair of primary surfaces, including a front surface and a rear surface, a pair of opposite side surfaces, a top surface and a bottom surface, a monitor utility assembly comprising:
- a universal mount base structured and disposed to be securely attached to the monitor,
  - a generally rigid top panel,
  - an upper mount assembly structured and disposed to secure said top panel to said mount base, in overlying relation atop the monitor,
  - said upper mount assembly being further structured to overhang said top panel beyond the front surface of the monitor in order to selectively shade and screen a screen on the front surface of the monitor from light and glare,
  - a utility console, said utility console disposed between said universal mount base and said upper mount assembly;
- said utility console including a front surface accessible 19 by a user; and 20
  - said top panel including a lip disposed at least on a front edge thereof, said lip being structured and disposed to retain at least one article placed on said top panel.
  - The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 2. wherein said utility console includes a speaker



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- 3. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said utility console includes a USB processor and at least one USB port externally accessible by the said USB processor being communicatively user, associated with а computer processor associated with the monitor.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 4. Wherein said utility console includes a transceiver disposed therein, said transceiver operatively associated with a corresponding peripheral device.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 4 5. wherein said peripheral device includes a wireless headset.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 5 6. wherein said wireless headset includes a microphone.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 5 7. wherein said wireless headset includes a speaker.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said utility console includes a camera assembly, a lens of said camera assembly exposed via said front surface.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 9. wherein said utility console is at least partially removable.

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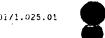
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- 11. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said universal mount base is structured to be at least partially secured at the top surface of the monitor.
- 12. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 11 said universal base wherein mount includes cantilever bracket structured to engage one of said primary surfaces of a thin monitor so as help maintain engagement therebetween.
- 13. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 further comprising a secondary support panel, said secondary support panel structured to be disposed in spaced apart relation above said top panel so as to support an article thereon.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 13 14. wherein said secondary support panel is removably secured to said top panel.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 13 15. wherein said top panel and said secondary support panel are removably secured with one another by a track assembly.
- The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 15 16.

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- 1 wherein said track assembly is at least partially disposed on an underside of said top panel. 2
  - 17. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1 further comprising a pair of generally rigid side panels, said side panels structured and disposed to at least partially shield a side of the screen of the monitor.
  - 18. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 17 further comprising an adjustable side mount assembly structured and disposed to provide forward and backward, slided movement of said side panels such that said side panels selectively extend beyond the front surface of the monitor.
  - The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 17 19. further comprising illumination an operatively secured to at least one of said side panels.
  - The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 17 20. further comprising a utility compartment defined on at least one of said side panels.
  - 21. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 20 wherein said utility compartment includes a cover assembly structured to at least temporarily enclose an interior of said utility compartment.
  - 22. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 21



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2 .	said cover assembly in a closed orientation on said
3	utility compartment.
4 23.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 20
5	wherein said utility compartment includes a PDA
6	interface port disposed therein, said PDA port
7	structured to receive a PDA communicatively associated
8	therewith.
9 24.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 23
. 10	wherein said PDA interface port is communicatively
_11 	associated with a computer processor assembly
12	associated with the monitor.
13 25.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 20
14	wherein said utility compartment includes a peripheral
15	interface communicatively associated with a computer
16	processor assembly associated with the monitor and
17	structured to receive a peripheral device
18	communicatively associated therewith.
19 26.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 20
20	wherein said utility compartment includes a storage
21	assembly.
22 27.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 20
23	wherein said utility compartment includes a plurality
24	of adjustable panels defined therein, each of said

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2 .	28.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 1
3		further including at least one adjustably positionable
4		page holder assembly, said page holder assembly
5		including a holder panel and being structured and
6		disposed to be moveable between a retracted position,
7		wherein said holder panel extends along the side
8		surface of the monitor, and an operative position,
9		wherein said holder panel is operatively suspended
.0		generally adjacent the front surface of the monitor
11		such that an article supportably disposed on said
L <b>2</b> .		holder panel is easily viewable by a user viewing the
L3		front surface of the monitor.
L4	29.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 28
15°		Further comprising an illumination assembly
16		operatively secured to said page holder assembly.

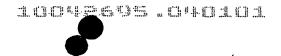
functionally secured thereto.

the type having a pair of primary surfaces, including a front surface and a rear surface, a pair of opposite side surfaces, a top surface and a bottom surface, a monitor utility assembly comprising:

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- a universal mount base structured and disposed to be securely attached to the monitor,
- Askid universaltindumyt console secured to said





said utility console including a front surface accessible by a user;

a pair of generally rigid side panels, said side panels structured and disposed to at least partially shield a side of a screen of the monitor; and

an adjustable side mount assembly structured and disposed to provide forward and backward, slided movement of said side panels such that said side panels selectively extend beyond the front surface of the monitor.

- 31. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 30 wherein said side mount assembly is structured to vary a spacing between said side panels so as to accommodate monitors of varying widths.
- 32. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31 wherein said utility console includes a speaker assembly.
- 33. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31 wherein said utility console includes a USB processor and at least one USB port externally accessible by the user, said USB processor being communicatively associated with a computer processor assembly associated with the monitor.
- 34. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31 wherein said utility console includes a transceiver disposed therein, said transceiver operatively





1		associated with a corresponding peripheral device.
2	· 35.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 34
3		wherein said peripheral device includes a wireless
4		headset.
5	36.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31
6		wherein said utility console includes a camera
7		assembly, a lens of said camera assembly exposed via
8		said front surface.
9	37.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31
10		wherein said utility console is at least partially
11		removable.
12	38.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 37
13		wherein said utility console includes a storage
14	•	compartment.
15	39.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 3
16		wherein said universal mount base is structured to be
17		at least partially secured at the top surface of the
is		monitor.
19	40.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 39
20	•	wherein said universal mount base includes a
21		cantilever bracket structured to engage one of said
22		primary surfaces of a thin monitor so as help maintain
23		engagement therebetween.
24	41.	The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 3

further comprising an illumination assembly



- operatively secured to at least one of said side panels.
  - 42. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31 further including at least one adjustably positionable page holder assembly, said page holder assembly including a holder panel and being structured and disposed to be moveable between a retracted position, wherein said holder panel extends along the side surface of the monitor, and an operative position, wherein said holder panel is operatively suspended generally adjacent the front surface of the monitor such that an article supportably disposed on said holder panel is easily viewable by a user viewing the front surface of the monitor.
  - 43. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 31 further comprising a generally rigid top panel structured to be disposed in overlying relation atop the monitor.
  - 44. The monitor utility assembly as recited in claim 43 further comprising an upper mount assembly structured and disposed to secure said top panel to said mount base, said upper mount assembly being further structured to overhang said top panel beyond the front surface of the monitor in order to selectively shade and screen a screen on the front surface of the



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monitor from light and glare.